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Detectives Seek the Public's Assistance in a Sexual Assault

Case: 08-2150568

Date: Saturday, August 2, 2008

Time: 3:47a.m.

Location: 4400 block of Avenue A

Narrative:

Detectives are seeking the public's assistance in locating a suspect wanted for a sexual assault on Saturday, August 2, 2008 in the 4400 Block of Avenue A.

A female victim left the Walgreens Pharmacy and was walking in the 4400 block of Avenue A when a male suspect attacked her from behind. The male physically assaulted the victim before dragging her a short distance from the road and raping her. The suspect left the scene in an unknown direction.

A second witness came forward and described the same person and a suspect vehicle. The witness said the man came to Shipe Park and walked around the park before approaching her as she was sitting on a swing. He asked her several personal questions and was acting very strange as if he was about to do something to her. Her boyfriend came from their apartment across the street and the suspect became startled and ran away. He fled in a 1996 Maroon Dodge Extended Cab pickup truck. The truck had Dallas Cowboys Star sticker in the center of the back window and an additional white sticker on the top left of the back window.